Message

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To: Holsman, Marianne [Holsman.Marianne@epa.gov]; Opalski, Dan [Opalski.Dan@epa.gov]

Subject: Conversation with Marianne Holsman

Opalski, Dan 8:37 AM:

I may be guilty of not listening carefully, but your message regarding the annual report came across somewhat differently from Michelle's summary at the SES Team meeting. Timeline seemed accelerated and I think Michelle said start just with ideas, not write-ups. We will adjust, but I wanted you to be aware.

Marianne Holsman 8:38 AM:

Could be

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She and I only corresponded about it via Skype messages...

Marianne Holsman 8:38 AM:

I have to submit by Monday, so would be helpful to have more than ideas...if possible

Opalski, Dan 8:39 AM:

Understood. But we also don't want to be writing only to have ideas rejected.

Marianne Holsman 8:39 AM:

Good point

Marianne Holsman 8:40 AM:

Shall I clarify?

Opalski, Dan 8:40 AM:

Non-responsive per agreement

Haven't settled on the

second one yet.

Opalski, Dan 8:41 AM:

Could be that I am being over-sensitive. Might let it ride unless you hear from others.

Marianne Holsman 8:44 AM:

I get it. Lots of "asks" for stuff of questionable value...

Marianne Holsman 8:44 AM:

For me COVID has prompted many, "existential" questions...

Opalski, Dan 8:46 AM:

We need to support the effort; just want to make sure we are doing so efficiently.

Opalski, Dan 9:44 AM:

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Marianne Holsman 9:52 AM:

Good!

Opalski, Dan 10:37 AM:

Mat is going to take the lead on the work to respond to the SDWA petition in the Lower Umatilla Basin. Will coordinate with ECAD.

Marianne Holsman 10:37 AM: OK. Thanks!

Marianne Holsman 11:58 AM: Thanks. You speak for us all!